Executive Action-meant to write last week. There was a CTIA meeting. Mary Ferrell reported she had gone thru it and found WC sources ~~of~~ for it. (Supposedly it all began that way, didn t it?) When she sent it to Calif, to Jaffe, and he turned it in, she was ~~to~~ offered and refused $5,000 for it. So, they gave it to Jaffe and he offered her half, also refused. Weird weirdos. She is supposed to hate Jaffe, and with ample cause. But when BF, all of whose people call the book a stinker, proposed that CTIA publicize it, he was-voted down, and Mary also opposed...BF-Mailer negotiations: Mailer has been visiting, once with his third wife, without his fifth but with his current mistress. e and BF are paying some kind of salary to Smith, who was about to return to Pittsburgh. 8/21/73